

## Items From Kinsella District

Mrs. A. Berezanski and Jennie were recently visiting friends in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Loney and family of Holden spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. Mark.

Mr. Peter Simpson of Medicine Hat, is spending a holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKie.

Threshing in this community is in full swing and everyone is hoping the good weather continues.

A very highly respected former resident of the Rodino district "Mrs. Yeatman," mother of Mrs. Hugh Rayment, passed away in an Edmonton hospital last week. The sympathy of the community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. H. Rayment of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kennedy and daughter, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hajek, left for their home in Eastern Canada on Monday, Oct. 6th.

## Easterly Echoes

Mrs. H. Taylor has purchased a house in Wainwright and will be moving to her new home before the snow comes.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Oldham are leaving our district this fall for their new home in Wainwright.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Burton at Wainwright Hospital on Sunday, October 5th a son, a brother for Bobbie.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Fenton at the Wainwright Hospital on October 6th a son, a brother for Carl and Barbara.

Mr. Joshua Holt left Tuesday for a visit in Michigan, U.S. at the home of his daughter, May and her husband.

Malcolm Frickelton spent the week end with Arnold Enger.

Roseberry A.F.U. Local assisted by Irma A.F.U. are sponsoring a meeting in Irma on the evening of October 21st. Mr. Stimpfle, president of the A.F.U. will be the guest speaker. Everybody welcome.

## DORMITORY DOINGS

The table tennis tournament got under way on Sept. 22nd under the management of Chester Newell. The single sets are now being played and a series of double sets will follow.

Mr. Carter has been ill but we are happy to say he is home now and is coming along fine. We would like to extend our thanks to Mr. Teskey and Mr. Mercer for their help during Mr. Carter's illness. The help and co-operation of the dormitory students, under the supervision of Keith Wakefield, the House Committee President, was greatly appreciated by Mrs. Carter.

Want ads in this paper do bring results. If you have something to sell, trade, or want to buy, try a want adv.

## Southern Sayings

Quite a number of friends joined a group from Hardisty in a Surprise Party and shower held on Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bronson at their home on September 19th.

A very enjoyable evening was had in playing games and dancing after which a lovely lunch was served by some of the ladies. Those present from this district included Mrs. J. Jackson and family, Mrs. D. Hearn and Winnie, Tena Woloshyn, Elaine Laing and James Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Scott and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frazier and George Foreman.

Mrs. Hardy, Mina Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Foulks motored from Edmonton for the weekend to spend Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Hill and family.

A large crowd attended the dance at Strawberry Plain school on Friday, October 3rd and spent a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wiese motored to Viking last Sunday.

## FORM "C"

The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities)

**SALE AND REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED ANIMALS (Sec. 48)**  
Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of the Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that

One Gelding, no visible brand was impounded in the pound kept by J. H. Guilbraas of Irma, Alberta, located on the SW 16-45-9-4, on Monday, the 22nd day of September, A.D. 1947, and that the said animal was sold on the 3rd day of October, 1947 to M. J. Reitan of Irma, Alberta, and that said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in the Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal. For information apply to the undersigned.

CHARLES WILBRAHAM,  
Secretary-Treasurer of the  
Municipal District of  
Wainwright, No. 61.  
Post Office: Wainwright. 10c

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the United church W.A. of Wainwright, the Irma Ladies Aid and the Irma L.O.B.A. for donations of fruit and to others for visits and phone calls during my recent illness. These kindnesses were greatly appreciated.  
10p E. W. Carter.

## Wainwright S. Div. Regular Meeting

Minutes of the meeting of the Wainwright School Division for September 26th, 1947.

Members present: H. E. Spencer, T. C. Sanders, F. E. Dixon, Wm. Lawson, Dr. Folkins, Mrs. A. McLeod.

Dr. Folkins—That the minutes of the last meeting be adopted with corrections. Cd.

Mr. Dallyn of Ribstone met with the Board to discuss Dormitory accommodation for his two boys, Cameron and Lawrence.

The secretary was instructed to forward Dormitory application forms to Mr. Dallyn of Ribstone with a covering letter.

Moved by Dr. Folkins that Mr. Spencer's recommendation and that of the Department of Education re the transfer of Mr. Henry Anderson's land now in the Wainwright School Division to the Empire School District be accepted. Cd.

Mr. Lawson—That we adjourn until 1:30 p.m. Cd.  
Mr. D. Featherstone-Haugh met with the Board re Park Road bus route and expressed willingness to continue the route during the winter months at rates agreed upon.

Mr. Sanders—That the office be authorized to attend to the matter of Janitor services for the office and divisional Library. Cd.

Mr. Spencer—That the Superintendent's Report be adopted with recommendations contained therein. Cd.

Report on Dormitory for the month of September was given by Mrs. McLeod. Mrs. Clark Steele of Fabyan will represent parents at the next Dormitory Committee meeting.

Mr. Spencer—That Mrs. McLeod's report on Dormitory operations for the month of September be adopted. Cd.

Mrs. McLeod—That Mrs. C. Steele of Fabyan acting as a representative of the Dormitory for the parents, be allowed mileage for attendance at committee meetings. Cd.

Dr. Folkins—That Mr. M. B. McLeod be asked to submit bills for painting, and calmsanding done at the Wainwright Public School No. 1658 during the summer of 1947. Cd.

Mr. Spencer—That report on Wainwright Public School operation for the month of September as given by Mrs. McLeod be adopted. Cd.

Mr. Sanders—That we authorize the building of a two-roomed teacherage at the Education Point School. Cd.

Mr. Sanders—That should other arrangements fail, that a teacherage be built at the Ross School District. Cd.

Mr. Dixon—That the following members of the Divisional Board act as delegates to the A.S.T.A. Convention to be held in Calgary on November 12th, 13th and 14th. Mr. Sanders, Dr. Folkins and Mrs. A. McLeod. Cd.  
Dr. Folkins—That we authorize the Superintendent's action in regard to pupil Gladys Bendall of Chauvin. Cd.

Mr. Sanders—That a bus contract with Symington-Wells of Irma be arranged by the office according to repayment plans agreed upon. Cd.

Mr. Dixon—That we authorize Mr. Sander's action in the purchase of a bus for the Sunny Brae—Crescent Hill route. Cd.

Mrs. McLeod—That the Divisional Secretary attend the A.S.T.A. Convention to be held in Calgary on November 12th, 13th, and 14th with expenses paid in the amount of \$40.00. Cd.

Dr. Folkins—That the Ribstone Junior room be given a coat of stucco at the price quoted. Cd.

Mr. Sanders—That accounts be paid in the amount of \$21,918.25 and that the same be recorded in the minutes. Cd.

Mrs. McLeod—That we adjourn. Cd.

Next meeting of the board to be held on October 24th at 9 a.m.

## Northern Nuggets

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bjork and family arrived home on Saturday after visiting Mrs. Bjork's parents at Olds.

Mrs. Pete Kellar is a patient in the Mannville hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. C. Bjork is leaving shortly to work in the lumber camp.

Mr. A. E. Cox is an Edmonton visitor this week.

## WAINWRIGHT PRESBYTERIAN FALL RALLY

The Wainwright Presbyterian held its fall rally in Holden on Tuesday, September 22. Women from Tofield, Ryley, Holden, Wainwright and Irma attended this meeting.

We were very fortunate to have Mrs. W. Kemp, president of branch, and Mrs. Forbes, past president of dominion board, with us; also Mrs. D. K. Allan of Edmonton, and our literature secretary, Mrs. Tanton, also of Edmonton.

Mrs. Roloff, of Tofield had charge of the morning devotionals and Mrs. Church of Wainwright the afternoon devotionals.

Mrs. Allen spoke words of encouragement to us, reminding us always "To be of good courage," in spite of our smallness.

Mrs. Kemp told of dominion board doings, the theme of which was "It must be done by me." She told us of the good that was being done by W.M.S. scholarships. It brings outstanding students from all over the world to Toronto for further study.

She closed her address with this thought, "If Thy will is to be done on earth, it must be done by me."

Mrs. Forbes chose as her topic, "Highlights of our W.M.S. work and missions." In order to have a highlight we must have three things, (1) spectators, (2) level of understanding, (3) background. These were the things which created W.M.S. highlights, (1) the fact we have a great world wide fellowship, (2) co-operation of all our women, (3) our missionary interest.

These two ladies had travelled 2,074 miles in one week meeting out W.M.S. groups in Alberta.

Mrs. Reeds gave a resume of our bookshelf for the year.

Mrs. Hamilton, presbyterial president, presided at this rally.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends for any kindness shown me during my recent illness. Special thanks to the doctors and Sisters of Hardisty hospital and Francis Johnson, blood donor.  
10p Mrs. A. L. Johnson.

## APPLICATIONS WANTED

Applications are invited for the position of caretaker of the Irma curling rink for the season 1947-48. Please apply to the secretary, H. Riley. 10c

"The whole of Western Europe was in a serious plight, and if the United States doesn't come to the aid of these nations, they are finished." —Rev. Arthur Carson.

## Community Cook Book



### Beet Salad Pickle

1 quart chopped cooked beets  
1 quart raw chopped cabbage  
2 cups ground horseradish  
2 cups brown sugar  
1 tbsp. salt.  
Cover with vinegar and heat. Do not boil. Bottle and seal.  
Mrs. L. L. Gaultier.

## At the Churches

### UNITED CHURCH

Thanksgiving Services  
Strawberry Plains—11 a.m.  
Albert—2 p.m.

Alma Mater—4 p.m.

Irma Sunday School—11 a.m.

Worship Service—7:30 p.m.

Special Missionary offering at all services.

The Rev. H. W. Inglis will be in charge. A hearty invitation to all.

"This is the day that the Lord hath made. We will rejoice and be glad in it. Psa. 118:24.

### CHRISTIAN and

### MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Sunday school at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Pastor. All children welcome.

3 p.m.—Education Point Sunday school and Bible class followed by regular afternoon service.

8 p.m.—Hedley's Hall, Tofield for evening, "The Brasesen Serpent in the Wilderness."

A hearty welcome awaits you. Come and bring a friend. Come early and get in on our song service, you'll enjoy it.

Pastor—G. E. Warnock.

How to have faith strengthened: "Not by striving after faith but by resting in the faithful one." (McCarthy).

"We hope to bring back an inspiration for all Canadian women, to realize the necessity of working with the women of other countries." —Mrs. G. D. Finlayson.

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## A Bonus to CJCA Listeners THESE NEW SHOWS ADDED

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6:30 p.m. Sundays
- HAMLY'S HOUSE IN  
THE COUNTRY—  
7:00 p.m. Sundays
- FUN PARADE—  
8:30 p.m. Tuesdays
- LIFE OF RILEY—  
8:00 p.m. Saturdays
- BARNYARD JAMBOREE—  
9:30 p.m. Saturdays

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## Announcement

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## FAO Meeting at Geneva



Representatives of 50 nations recently met at the Third Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) at Geneva, Switzerland, to consider the world food and agriculture position. Top photo shows left to right: F. L. McDougall, Councilor FAO; Dr. G. S. H. Barton, Deputy Minister, Dominion Department of Agriculture; Dr. Ralph Phillips, Head of Animal Industry Branch, FAO Agricultural Division and Dr. J. L. Buck, Head of Utilization Branch, FAO, on the roof terrace of the Palais de Nations. Bottom—Rt. Hon. James G. Gardiner, Dominion Minister of Agriculture and Canada's delegate to the Conference, talking with Viscount the Rt. Hon. Stanley M. Bruce of Australia, Chairman of one of the FAO Commissions.

## An Excellent Example

INCOME LEVELS IN THIS COUNTRY have risen steadily in the past few years and most Canadians have had more money to spend than ever before. This period of prosperity has followed in the wake of the depression of the 1930's and for many people it has been the first time in almost a decade that they could adjust their living standard to an adequate income. This is true of farmers as of other classes of workers. In Western Canada, drought as well as the depression had created an economic disaster which will never be forgotten by the people here. At that time it was impossible for farmers to meet all their financial obligations and many of them were forced to go deeply into debt.

### Figures Given For Farm Debt

In 1937 the prairie farm debt, including arrears in mortgages, taxes, relief advances, and money owed to merchants and banks, was estimated at 805 million dollars. This was a very large debt, when considered in relation to the size of the population of the prairie provinces. At that time it was estimated that the amount owed for mortgages and agreements of sale alone was \$166,661,000 of which Manitoba owed \$29,650,000, Saskatchewan \$99,367,000 and Alberta \$38,734,000. At the end of 1946, however, this debt had been reduced to \$52,035,000, with Manitoba owing \$7,479,000, Saskatchewan \$33,879,000, and Alberta \$10,677,000. These figures, which are given by the Dominion Mortgage and Loans Association, show clearly that the farmers are wisely using their increases in income to reduce their debts and to consolidate their financial position.

### Good Times May Not Continue

While figures are available only on the amount by which mortgages have been reduced, it is assumed that the rest of the farm debt has likewise been substantially cleared. In fact, it is considered probable that farmers would pay their accounts to merchants, municipalities and banks before commencing to pay off their mortgages. Although accurate figures are not available, economists are of the opinion that the total farm debt for the prairie provinces may now be less than \$270,000,000. In using his increased income to thus reduce his debts and strengthen his financial position the prairie farmer has set an excellent example to the rest of Canada. Perhaps better than anyone else, he realizes that good times do not always last and he also knows that in his case, unfavourable climatic conditions can seriously affect his income. It would be well indeed, if everyone in Canada was using the present period of prosperity to the same advantage as is the western farmer.

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**BUMPS and BRUISES**  
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### WATER IN THE EAR YOU MAY NOT HEAR

If you have acute or chronic ear trouble, be careful where and when you go in the water, say the National Health wardens. Water may get into the middle ear and may allow entrance of infection, which could then spread to the inner ear and the mastoid sinuses.

It is suggested that those with ear trouble consult their family physicians as to the advisability of taking part in aquatic sports.

## Australia Seeks More Exports To Canada-U.S.

### To Help Government Bridge A Forty-Five Million Dollar Trade Deficit

CANBERRA.—A drive to increase Australia's exports to North America will be launched by the government to help bridge a trade deficit of some \$45 million remaining after the cut in imports from North America ordered in this fiscal year.

John Dedman, minister for post-war reconstruction said Australia's position would be improved if an outlet could be found in the U.S. or Canada for the sale of manufactured articles not previously exported.

Apart from this action another high source said the government might have to apply further dollar import cuts later, beyond the \$40 million reduction in American imports ordered by the Cabinet.

Premier Chifley was reported to have warned ministers there was no guarantee these cuts would be the last restrictions.

### Woman Starts Trap-Nest Flock

MEETING CREEK, Alta. — Miss Ruth Kasa has started to trap-nest her flock of purebred barred rock pullets. She entered the poultry business only two years ago and already has attracted the attention of the Dominion department of agriculture for the high standard of hatching eggs her breeding stock has been producing. The poultry branch has asked Miss Kasa to trap-nest 125 pullets, in line with its policy to promote the raising of pedigreed stock in Alberta.

### BLESSING OF WORK

Charles Kingsley once wrote: "Thank God every morning when you get up that you have something to do; that which must be done whether you like it or not."



GENEROUS — Miss Dorothy Murray, head of the welfare department of Norwalk, Conn., who, an investigating committee claims, is an "altruist", thereby costing the city \$222,289 in relief last year. Anyone whose name is in the Norwalk city directory, the committee reports, could walk into the welfare department, tell a sad story and leave with cash. The director cited several instances: one "unemployable" received so much relief he was able to buy a \$6,800 house; another was helped to a purchase of a new car; and relief—with no questions asked—was doled out as much as \$140 a week.

### Building Constructions Across The Prairies

A \$40,000 technical school is to be erected at Humboldt, Sask.

The Alberta Wheat Pool is rebuilding its 60,000-bushel elevator at Three Hills, Alta.

Work has commenced on an insulation manufacturing plant at St. James, Manitoba.

Plans are being prepared to build an \$80,000 animal disease laboratory at the University of Saskatchewan.

### Sale Of Registered Aberdeen Angus Cattle

The estate of the late James Turner, Carroll, Manitoba, twenty miles south of Brandon, will, on Saturday, October 25, at 1:00 p.m. standard time, dispose the registered herd of pure bred Aberdeen Angus cattle comprising about fifty head. These cattle are all the descendants of the famous Karame 2nd of Glencairn.

## FUNNY And OTHERWISE

He: "I must apologize for my dancing. I'm a little stiff from badminton."

She: "My dear man, I don't care where you came from."

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"Women certainly haven't any consistency."

He: "No, I don't think anyone ever did."

She: "Then I'd like to know where you get the idea."

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She: "Did anyone ever tell you how wonderful you are?"

He: "Then I'd like to know where you get the idea."

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"Did my medicine do any good?"

"A wonderful remedy, doctor. I took three spoonfuls and my cough went. I rubbed three spoonfuls into my knees for rheumatism, and the rest we used to clean the silver."

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Film Director: "Don't forget now. You look around, discover that someone is chasing you and then dive off this 200-foot cliff."

Stunt Man: "But there's only two feet of water at the bottom!"

Director: "Certainly. Do you think we want you to drown?"

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"I say, my dear," said an ex-soldier the morning after the regimental reunion, "I seem to have got an enormous blister on my tongue."

"What do you expect?" replied his wife. "You would insist on drinking my health out of your hotwater bottle last night."

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"I don't like the looks of that halibut," said the lady customer. "Lady, if it's looks you're after, why not buy gold fish?" asked the market man.

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She was a good-looking blonde, and when her tire went flat she halted a passing motorist. He stopped.

"Wonder if you'd help a girl in trouble?" she inquired.

He said, "Sure, Sister, what kind of trouble do you want to get into?"

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The new vicar had preached his first sermon, and a critical member of the church, an exceedingly fat man, laydied him after the service.

"Not a bad beginning, sir," he said, patronizingly, "a bit too scientific and modern perhaps, but quite fair. Remember, parson, you must feed the sheep."

The vicar surveyed his bulky critic and replied, "My dear man, it's exercise you need, not food."

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Tim: "What was the cause of the collision at that corner today?"

Jim: "Two motorists after the same pedestrian."

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A motorist was driving through a busy town, when suddenly a dustcart ahead of him turned down a sidestreet without warning.

Narrowly escaping a collision, the angry motorist shouted, "Why the dickens didn't you hold out your hand to show you were going to turn?"

"Don't talk so daft," replied the dustman. "I always go down this street!"

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FOUNDRIES BUSY  
More than a dozen foundries in Canada with an annual payroll of over \$6,000,000 are engaged in the manufacture of brass and copper taps, valves and other plumbing supplies.

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THE TILLERS  
SAY, JABBER, THE ROOF'S LEAKING PRETTY BAD— I'D LIKE YOU TO FIX IT!

WELL, HUNK, WE GOT THE PUMP FIXED, NOW WE'LL FIX THE TRACTOR IF JABBER HAS THE BARN ROOF REPAIRED!

HMM! JABBER DID A SHORT TIME—IT'S DRY AS A BONE IN HERE!

MR. TILLER... LOOK!

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## Canada's Tourist Resources Are Barely Scratched

FORT WILLIAM.—Canada's possibilities as a tourist-attracting country have barely been scratched and now is the time to lay the foundations for future developments, J. G. Perdue of Ottawa said in an interview here.

Mr. Perdue, member of the National Parks Board Division of the Mines and Resources Department who is attending the second annual convention of the parks and recreation Association of Canada here, said that the 1,000,000 visitors already tallied at the Dominion's National Parks is expected to establish a new high in the tourist trade.

Exploitation of the nation's vast potentialities in the travel industry will hinge on good roads and low-priced family accommodations within the reach of the average working man's pocket book, Mr. Perdue said.

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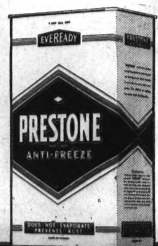
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—By Les Carroll



## OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

## GREETINGS TO GRANDMA

By HOLLY WHELEN

YOU positively couldn't, Lou reflected apprehensively, count on how children would behave in any given situation. But how she wished she might, this once, be confident of her own youngsters' perfect conduct!

Fleetingly she regretted that seven-year-old Pete, and Danny, his year-younger brother, weren't little girls. Maybe then she could anticipate their appearance in the living room in garments not resembling something that should have been donated, long ago, to a cast-off clothing collection. Perhaps she'd have had better luck at teaching two small daughters to sit politely in chairs, before company, instead of getting sudden notions to engage in a wrestling match.

But Pete and Danny were darlings! Ordinarily she wouldn't have considered exchanging one of them for even that little charmer, Margaret O'Brien. Besides, Pete Senior's parents, their letters said, were so glad they had two grandsons to carry on the family name.

Would they still feel that way after their visit to Hilltown? They hadn't ever visited the children before Pete's fatal automobile accident. They hadn't even come in those awful days immediately after. Of course they weren't young any more and it was easy to picture them too preoccupied by grief to travel, as they'd written.

Lou couldn't lose the thought, though, that Pete's parents would have preferred not having Lou in the scene at all. Pete, their only son, had been just out of college when the firm he'd worked for had transferred him here. She'd been a stenographer in the Hilltown office and from the first time Pete had grinned at her and she'd grinned back they'd known it was love.

The two of them had gone alone one Saturday afternoon to the little church she'd attended since childhood and been married. Pete hadn't written his folks about it until later.

They'd sent back a very correct and impersonal letter. Pete'd invited them for a visit, but got only a promise to come at some indefinite future time.

Lou knew why they were making the journey now. They were realizing Pete's children were all they had left of Pete.

But they hadn't really forgotten

those children were Lou's as well! They'd written, saying they were coming to Hilltown and would like to see their grandchildren. But they'd added they were going to stay with friends of theirs who'd recently moved there. Evidently they intended to appraise Pete's sons as they would a bond or a car before they committed themselves!

That made Lou furious. But she had, too, a fear that turned her shaky inside. She'd gone back to work after Pete's death. His firm had given her a secretarial job. One of her neighbors, a middle-aged widow, looked after Pete and Danny from the time school was out until Lou reached home. Her salary added to the monthly payment from Pete's insurance helped them get along comfortably.

But what would Pete's mother think of it? Lou'd come into contact, before, with people who couldn't understand the difference a few dollars made in another person's life. Probably Pete's mother would be wearing a hat that cost more than Lou made in a week.

What if the children's grandparents thought Pete and Danny weren't being reared right. What if they attempted to take them away from Lou?

Pete's parents expected to arrive Saturday, but they weren't sure of the exact hour as they were driving. They'd telephoned her from their friends' home, they'd written, then come see the boys.

Lou decided the safest course was to have the children ready and waiting. She supervised the boys' baths, then left them to don the new suits she'd bought for the occasion. When she returned to inspect the final result, their room was empty.

Frankly she searched the house. The boys were nowhere to be found! There was a school hike into the woods today. Pete and Danny'd raised no objection when she'd explained why they couldn't go. But they'd gone, anyway. Disobeyed her—just when Pete's parents would discover it and draw their own conclusions. And they'd gone off in their brand-new outfits! Lou shuddered, remembering the condition a hike produced in even sturdy denims.

She couldn't catch up with them now. There was absolutely nothing for her to do but sit there, hour after hour, waiting for the telephone to ring, hoping the boys would return first.

Finally the sound of the doorbell brought her to her feet. And there was Danny, poking his tussled head around the door and calling out "Mummy!" Pressing the button was Pete! Beside him and holding on to her younger son's hands were distinguished looking man and woman. Lou recognized them from Pete's collection of photographs. But how had they all come together?

In the living room, she learned. Pete and Danny had travelled all the way across town to the apartment house where their grandparents' friends lived. And they'd sat on the street curb outside it, since morning, waiting for the car they were watching for to drive up, confident they'd know their grandparents' from their pictures.

And their grandparents had known them. "Because they're Pete all over again," Pete's father explained, smiling at Lou. "But a hundred times more polite!" their grandmother added. "I told Dad they must've had wonderful training. I was never able to produce manners like theirs in Pete when he was that age! The nice way they told us how happy they were we'd come to see them at last—well, we decided we'd like nothing better than to stay as close to them as we could. You don't mind our coming directly here? They insisted you'd be glad."

"Oh, I am—truly," Lou assured them.

It was when she got the two boys into the kitchen that Lou dared breathe. "Whatever in the world put that idea into your head?"

Danny answered first. "Gosh, I was worried about whether they'd like me, then I thought maybe they were worried about whether we'd like them. And going to meet them would show we did."

"And we remembered what you said about being polite," Pete put in. "When you're watching us, before company, it always makes us



**NEW RADIOACTIVE ORE DISCOVERIES**—New deposits of radioactive ores have been discovered in the Northwest Territories. Mr. How, Minister of Reconstruction, has announced. This may make Canada world's biggest source of radioactive materials. During the war Canada took over Eldorado Mines in Northwest Territories, shown here, a big radium producer.

## STUDIES IN SOIL EROSION PROVING PRESENT FARMING METHODS NOT CAUSING DAMAGE

The Dominion Experimental Station at Swift Current in addition to its usual work, has made also during the past 20 years or so, some remarkable investigations into the use of moisture by the wheat plant, reports H. G. L. Strange, research director of Searle Grain Co. Ltd. First under the direction of the late Sydney Barnes and now under the direction of the scientist Dr. J. L. Doughty, some quite unexpected and unlooked for results have been found.

One of these announced by Dr. Doughty recently at Lethbridge at the meeting of the Agricultural Institute, surprised most people. It was to the effect that the present system of farming on these prairies is not causing, as some people think, a rapid deterioration of the soil. In other words, it would appear that if water erosion and wind erosion can be controlled, that we can go on growing wheat and grains on these prairies for long, long periods of time without suffering from decline in yield per acre.

This is a comforting thing to know, because so many people think that the so-called prairie "wheat-miners" are rapidly exhausting the fertility of the soil and that in a few years these prairies will not be able to grow any more grain. So the so-called "wheat-miners," it appears, can be absolved from blame—Canadian Finance.

nervous and self-conscious "cause we know you're afraid we'll make a mistake. But by ourselves we just try to make people feel good. Isn't that a good way to be polite, too?" "The very best," Lou said, reinforcing her words with a hug. (Copyright Wheeler Newspaper Syndicate)

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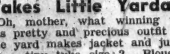
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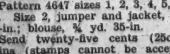
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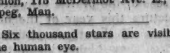
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## Suggests Labor Day Be Observed Later In Month

Will Have The Effect Of Extending Tourist Season

OTTAWA.—The suggestion that Labor Day might be observed on the second or third Monday in September rather than on the first and thus have the effect of extending the tourist season, is contained in the monthly statement of ports of highway traffic at Canadian border points, published under the authority of Hon. James MacKinnon, minister of trade and commerce.

"The tradition of observing the first Monday of September as Labor Day will have a shortening influence on the current tourist season," the report states.

"Its postponement until a later day (for 1948), would prove most popular with the youngsters who start back to school the day after Labor Day, and with all concerned with the tourist industry.

"Some of the finest weather of the year is often experienced in the early weeks of September. To crowd the vacation time of a huge number of potential travellers into three months is a strain.

"Many are disappointed. The summer bulge could be smoothed out somewhat by a greater volume in May, June and September." A later date for Labor Day would be of considerable assistance through extending the fall season, the report indicates.

## Compulsory Saving Refund Cheques Are Being Prepared

OTTAWA.—Government sources said the revenue department already has started work on the 1,500,000 cheques which will go out to taxpayers next spring in the first payoff of the refundable portion of the 1942 compulsory savings.

The payment is expected to total \$60,000,000, collected in 1942 when the government introduced compulsory income tax savings to provide additional money for governmental expenditures and to draw off surplus purchasing power.

The payment probably will be made next March and will be non-taxable.

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**TRIPLE GOODNESS FOR A LUNCH BOX**—This Spicy Apple Cake is only one of the special Bran Hot Breads that you will have from one bowlful of batter. For this is another one of those marvelous basic recipes that's changeable as the Autumn leaves. It's a natural answer for that September question, "How can I make the children's lunch-box look different?" And, of course, you can't overlook Dad's appetite. It'll certainly be appeased by a variety platter of Spice Apple Cake, Marmalade Hide-Aways and Currant Tea Loaf. You might well save a bit of the Currant Tea Loaf for the next afternoon. Its fruity flavor is just right with a fall afternoon cup of hot tea. The three-way goodness of this hot bread recipe will make it a must in your Easy-to-Do file!

## Bran Hot Breads

3 cups cereal bran  
2 cups milk  
1/2 cup shortening  
1 1/2 cups brown sugar  
Soak bran in milk. Blend shortening and sugar thoroughly. Add eggs and beat well. Stir in soaked bran. Sift flour with baking powder and salt; add to first mixture stirring only until combined.

**Marmalade Hide-Aways:** Fill greased muffin cups two-thirds full. Press 1 teaspoon orange marmalade into the top of each muffin. Bake in moderate oven (400° deg. F.) 25-30 minutes. Yield: 8 muffins (2 1/2 inches in diameter).

**Currant Tea Loaf:** To two-thirds of remaining batter, add 1/2 cup chopped nuts, 1/2 cup currants and 1/2 cup chopped raisins; mix well. Spread in greased loaf pan. Bake in moderate oven (350° deg. F.) about 1 hour. Yield: 1 loaf (4 1/2 x 9 x 3 1/2 inches).

**Spice Apple Cake:** Dredge 1 cup thinly sliced apples with mixture of 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1 tablespoon flour and 1/2 cup brown sugar. Spread remaining batter in greased pan. Press apples over top. Bake in moderate oven (350° deg. F.) about 35 minutes. Yield: 1 cake (8 x 8 inch pan).

Note: Bake Marmalade Hide-Aways first, reduce oven heat and bake Currant Tea Loaf and Spice Apple Cake at same time.

## GEMS OF THOUGHT

## BEHAVIOR

What a man does, not what he feels, thinks, or believes, is the universal yardstick of behavior.—Benjamin C. Leeming.

What is becoming in behavior is honorable, and what is honorable is becoming.—Cicero.

Oddities and singularities of behavior may attend genius, but when they do, they are its misfortunes and blemishes.—Sir William Temple.

Be civil to all; sociable to many; familiar with few; friend to one; enemy to none.—Benjamin Franklin.

Let us be true: this is the highest maxim of art and of life, the secret of eloquence and virtue, and of all moral authority.—Amiel's Journal.

Never return evil for evil; and, above all, do not fancy that you have been wronged when you have not been.—Mary Baker Eddy.

## When your BACK ACHES...

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## MAGIC'S RICH Chocolate Dips!

• Cream 1/2 c. shortening and 1/2 c. sugar. Add 1 egg; beat. Add 2 cups orange juice. Sift together 1 1/2 c. sifted all purpose flour, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1 1/2 tsp. baking powder, 1/2 tsp. soda. Add. Mix. Chill. Roll dough into 1/2 inch ropes. Cut into sections below. Bake in 375° F. oven, 10 minutes.

**Cinnamon Twists:** Follow above recipe, cut with crescent cutter. Roll dough into ropes with finely chopped walnuts.

**Spiced Cookies:** Follow above recipe, cut with round cutter. Cut out cookies from center of 1/2 the rounds. Bake. Then spread plain round with melted sweet chocolate; top with doughnut rings.

**Cocaine Twists:** Follow above recipe, cut in strips 1/2 by 1/2. Brush with milk; sprinkle with cocoa. Bake. Dip into melted sweet chocolate.

**Spiced Cookies:** Follow above recipe, cut dough in squares with pastry wheel. Place 1/2 pecan nut in center of each. Bake. Dip corners in melted sweet chocolate.

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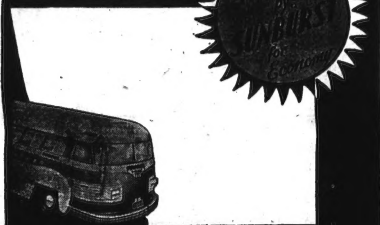
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## Viking Items

A special meeting of the Viking Elks' lodge is being held in the new lodge hall above the curling rink on Friday, October 10th, at 8:30 p.m. Dedication ceremonies and initiation of new members will take place. Visiting Elks from Holden, Wainwright, Chauvin and Vegreville are expected to attend.

The Viking Branch of the Canadian Legion No. 81 will hold a dance on Monday, September 13th, after the show in the Viking Community Hall. Music will be supplied by the Czar Orchestra with their modern and old-time music to fit your moods. The Legion hopes to have a hall ready for the winter months and there will be much expense in remodeling, buying fixtures, furniture, etc. This will be an additional improvement to the town and old and young are urged to turn out and support the boys.

Don't forget that Monday, October 13th is a dominion holiday and Thanksgiving day at that.

Not many Tag Days are held in our community during the year, but the Viking Boy Scouts Apple Day to be held on Saturday, October 18th, we recommend to the public for their support.

This week has been designated as Fire Prevention Week in Canada. In fact every week and every day should be a time for fire prevention. Viking has been fortunate in this respect since 1936 when the last big fire occurred in the business section of town. No lives were lost. Last year in Canada, 480 men, women and children were burned fatally, 164 of which were children. Property loss exceeded fifty million dollars. Our Village Council is making an effort to have better fire protection but it is up to all of us to take all precautions possible to prevent fires in our homes and business places.

We note that the suggestion from this corner that a "checker board" sign be placed from Fourth Ave. north from the Lutheran Church to Fifth Ave. has been fulfilled.

Congratulations from this corner this week go to Dave Doward, who won first in the better farm contest and Harry Child, second, promoted by Mr. Gamble, farm supervisor of the M.D. of Minburn during the past season. Dave and Harry reside in the former M.D. of Lakeview. Looks like a good idea to encourage from year to year.

In as hectic a world series as ever staged, the Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the New York Yankees best of four out of seven games, the series ending on Monday. Baseball fans all over north America who were not fortunate enough to sit in on the games, listened intently to every play over the air thanks to Gillette Radio Black Co.

Monday, October 13th, has been proclaimed as a full holiday throughout the dominion. Stores and business places will be closed all day. There will be no Wednesday half holiday October 15th, in Viking. Everyone please note.

The condition of the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walker, who was injured in an accident at Lake Thomas school a week ago Monday, is quite precarious, we hear. Mr. and Mrs. Walker are in Edmonton at his bedside in the hospital where he was taken for medical attention.

Grades 6 and 7 of the Viking school are now being accommodated in the Anglican hall with Miss Rude as teacher. This temporary measure has been taken over by the Holden School Division.

Work on the construction of the water reservoir for the Village of Viking east of the Woodland Dairy station on Second Ave. is proceeding with the Lausten brothers in charge.

An addition is being built to the Taylor's garage.

## HOLDEN COMMANDOS CLAIM FASTBALL TITLE

Holden Commandos have laid claim to the Alberta Intermediate "B" Fastball Title as a result of Calgary Bruce Lakes default of last Sunday's series. The final decision is pending investigation by the Association.

The failure of the Bruce Lake squad to appear may give the Commandos the pennant in an unglorified manner, but a costly pennant it is. Commandos are plenty in the "red" and in addition to holding the financial bag containing an unhealthy deficit. The return game receipts were a dire necessity to offset the one-sided balance.

## INTRODUCTION OF OLEO DETRIMENTAL TO THE CANADIAN DAIRY INDUSTRY

In a recent article, Mr. Hannam, president of the Federation of Agriculture, had this to say in regard to the proposal to introduce the manufacture of oleomargarine in Canada, as a substitute for butter:

Dairy farmers throughout Canada genuinely fear that the introduction of margarine into our market would, to some extent at least, undermine their industry. How serious the effect would be no one is in a position to know positively. It is not merely a question of competition between butter and oleomargarine. It is not as simple as that.

Butter is the basic commodity in the entire dairy industry. It is at a time when our dairy farmers have produced a surplus of butter equal to our needs in Canada, oleomargarine should be introduced and replace, say, one pound in every five of butter, a twenty percent surplus of butter would be ruinous to our butter producers, but the effect would not stop there. It would be ruinous equally to cheese producers, to evaporated milk producers, and to producers of fluid milk for our towns and cities.

This, then, is not simply a question of the economic interest of primary producers. It becomes a matter of vital concern to every Canadian consumer. The question facing them, in all probability would be—do we as consumers want a healthy, prosperous dairy industry which will provide us with an abundance of butter, cheese, evaporated milk and fluid milk at reasonable prices, or do we prefer oleomargarine plus what could very well be a depressed dairy industry with perhaps inadequate supplies or at times unduly high prices for some dairy products? When people talk glibly about their natural rights to have oleomargarine if they want it, this is what dairy producers from one end of the country to the other think of. And, rightly or wrongly, they believe very sincerely that Canadian consumers are better off with a healthy dairy industry and a plentiful supply of all these dairy products than they would be if they insist upon having oleomargarine.

## LINE ELEVATORS URGE HIGHER PRICES FOR WESTERN FARMERS

Warning that farmers have reached the point where they are no longer prepared to sell their coarse grains at prevailing ceiling prices and that farmers are storing, rather than marketing their oats and barley was conveyed to Rt. Hon. James G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, in a telegram today by the North West Line Elevators Association. Many of those who are disposing of their coarse grains are doing it on a basis of price to be determined in the future, at the seller's option, and the wire fully agrees with the farmers in their attitudes of seeking full market value for their products, and adds that a farmer would be ill-advised to sell his coarse grains or malting barley at current selling prices.

Press clippings from Ottawa indicate that oats are now selling at from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per bushel and feed barley from \$3.00 to \$5.00 per bushel in Eastern markets, and are difficult to obtain even at these prices.



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show, both the Eastern and Western parts of the prairies show good yields with a poor area extending from north to south in the centre. The distribution of high and low yield corresponds almost exactly with the distribution of high and

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### T.B. QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY THE ALBERTA TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION EDITED BY F. H. HISE, M.D. National Tuberculosis Assn.

Q. I have been receiving pneumothorax treatment for ten months and my cavity, the size of a small egg, has not started to heal. Do you think it will heal in time?

A. A cavity which has existed for ten months during pneumothorax treatment in all probability will not heal as the result of that treatment alone. Probably additional measures will have to be used.

Q. How long does it usually take one's lung to heal when receiving pneumothorax treatment?

A. This depends upon the amount and character of the tuberculosis and whether or not the pneumothorax was complete or only partial. The duration may be anywhere from six months to three or more years.

#### \$2.00 WHEAT FOR 1948-49

The British government will pay \$2.00 a bushel, basis 1 northern at Fort William for 140 million bushels of Canadian wheat in the 1948-49 crop year. This was announced by Prime Minister Mackenzie King on Wednesday of last week.

The original agreement provided for a floor price of \$1.25 a bushel for wheat shipped to Britain under the contract in that year. It was stipulated in the contract, however, that a minimum price would be subject to re-negotiation, during which the difference between the prices for the first two years and world prices prevailing during those two years would be taken into account.

In commenting on the \$2.00 price for 1948-49, Ben S. Plumer, chairman of the board of directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool, stated that the figure was a fair one. He emphasized, however, that the prices of goods and services farmers must buy should not get beyond control.

### SEEDTIME and HARVEST

By  
D. M. McLEAN  
Assistant Director,  
Line Elevator Farm Service,  
Winnipeg, Manitoba.

**Better Living on the Prairie Farm**  
Agriculture's great need today is for better farm homes—better living. A modern home in a well-planned farmstead is still only a dream on many of our prairie farms. In the pioneer days home conveniences were given scant consideration. Today, however, farm people are anxious to have modern homes with the most up-to-date equipment and conveniences.

Recent surveys have indicated that over fifty per cent of our farm homes need repairs and over twenty-five per cent need replacement. Every home uses water and yet less than ten per cent have an inside supply. To meet the average family's need someone has to carry about 50 tons of water into the home each year and will travel about 100 miles in getting it there. As a result of this drudgery, housewives give a water system in the home a high priority.

More than ever before, farm families are asking for information today on home design, room planning, and labor-saving equipment. This accelerated demand for information cannot be met from plans and installations suitable for city homes.

Recently a *Prairie Rural Housing Committee* was established to consider and recommend research into the problems peculiar to farm housing. The financial support for this program, coming from the prairie governments and the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, Ottawa, will be a good investment if it leads to better homes and an easier life for those who live in rural areas.

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#### Aids to Better Seed

**Germination and Disease Tests**  
The importance of germination, disease, and other seed tests in assisting farmers to assess the value of their own grain for seeding purposes cannot be over-emphasized. This year, particularly, there is so much low grade grain in the country that farmers would be well advised to have the seed they intend to sow next spring tested for germination. It is true, of course, that seed of wheat, oats, barley and flax may look thin and weathered, and yet germinate strongly—and then it may not. It is always wise to have a germination test made.

For the benefit of prairie farmers, Line Elevator Farm Service operates a first-class seed laboratory. This year it offers a complete seed testing service to growers of wheat, oats, barley, rye and flax. This service includes the following important seed tests:

1. **Germination.** Efficient tests on germination will be made.
2. **Weed Seeds.** On request, the presence of weed seeds will be reported.
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6. **Purity of Variety.** Varietal purity tests (germination tests) will be made on wheat and barley only.

Farmers should submit seed samples for testing to the nearest Line Elevator agent as soon as possible, and instruct him as to what tests are required. Samples must be at least 4 ounces and not more than 8 ounces of cleaned seed. It is important that the samples be truly representative of the seed stocks intended for sowing in 1948. Line Elevator agents will provide suitable envelopes, and send the samples in to Line Elevator Farm Service, Winnipeg.

**Note.** Line Elevator Farm Service does not test seeds of commerce, and the results of its tests cannot be used legally, when advertising seed for sale. Seed samples for official government tests should be sent to the Plant Products Division Laboratory at Winnipeg, Saskatoon, or Calgary.

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CJCA's entry was based on public service done in the past year through the medium of the Byers Flour Mills Kiddies Program, featuring "Uncle Hal" Yerxa.

Entry was titled "Promotion by Self-Propulsion" and reviewed the numerous and varied public services conducted through the year. Presentation stressed the fact that through public service the program propelled itself from just an ordinary entertainment program to a valuable and powerful service medium.

Two years ago CJCA received the Billboard Award for program promotion. Last year the "Beaver" came to CJCA in the field of Listener Relations and this year it's public service promotion. It's a hat-trick of which we are very proud as it brings CJCA's all-time total to eight major awards—in- deed an impressive record for Canadian stations, we believe.

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"There is a growing evidence that a great number of people do not want to do real day's work for a real day's pay." —Dr. G. G. Geldert.

## Research And Progress

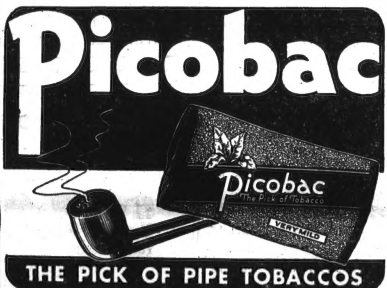
**DURING THE WAR GREAT PROGRESS** was made through scientific research. Because of the fact that almost from the beginning, it was realized that weapons developed both for offense and defence were likely to be the decisive factor in the winning of the war, unprecedented resources in personnel and money were allocated to scientific work. The development of the atom bomb, which ended the war, proved the inestimable value of this work to the United Nations. The magnitude of the results obtained when great sums of money and large staffs of trained workers were made available for research has caused the public to question why such results cannot be continued in time of peace, in medical, industrial and agricultural research where there are so many problems, the solution of which would add greatly to the comfort and prosperity of mankind. While they may not be as urgent as the problems of war, there is little doubt as to their importance to our social and economic progress.

### U.S. Report Of Interest Here

In the United States recently the National Scientific Research Board recommended that one per cent. of the national income should be spent for research. In that country such an expenditure would amount to \$200,000,000. The Board called the development of research work "a major factor in national survival" and based the great need on the facts that normal sources of scientific knowledge in Europe have been "dried up" and that it is most important that a new generation of scientists should be produced on this continent "who will think boldly and daringly." The report suggested that 44 per cent. of the available money should be spent on non-military research, 14 per cent. for medical research and 22 per cent. for military purposes. Since Canada has been closely associated with the United States in the field of scientific research this report, although presented to the American government, should be of interest to Canadians.

### Urgent Need In Medicine

If Canada were to spend one per cent. of the national income, the amount recommended by the American Scientific Research Board, the sum spent annually on research here would amount to approximately \$100,000,000, which is a great deal more than is at present allocated to such work. In Canada considerable research is done by the National Research Council, the universities and private industries. However, there are now large concentrated efforts such as those which proved so effective during the war. Most people agree as to the urgency of solving many of the present problems in medicine. Methods of curing or preventing cancer, poliomyelitis and other diseases which yearly cost the country so much in human suffering and in money, cannot be found too soon, yet resources are not available to bring about rapid solutions to these problems. In industry and in agriculture there are likewise great needs for improvements which could be brought about through scientific research. If it is, indeed, "a major factor in national survival" as the United States scientists suggest, Canadians should encourage any efforts which may be made to further such work in this country.



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### FORMER CARIBBO STAGE DRIVER STILL GOING STRONG

LILLLOET, B.C. — Al Young, famous Caribbo stage driver, now over 80, showed he still had plenty of the old time spirit by shooting two bears that had been raiding his small orchard near this centre. He does not use glasses.

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### Finds Magnetic Pole Moved 200 Miles In 20 Years

OTTAWA.—With the North Magnetic Pole tucked away in its place for another year, scientists can go back to the magnetic charts and figure out what it means to world navigation.

A youthful field worker of the Dominion conservatory, Paul H. Seron, 23, of Ottawa, flew back to the capital with the information that the pole has shifted some 200 miles north in the last 50 years, and now revolves around Somerset and Prince of Wales Islands in Canada's Arctic—roughly centred at latitude 73 north, longitude 96 west. This is almost directly north of Churchill, about 1,000 miles south of the true North Pole.

### A GOOD PRECAUTION

A child's vision should be checked frequently. Intensive school work can lead to eye-strain, with consequent harm to the nervous system.

### THE TILLERS



—By Les Carroll

## Valuable Sugar Beet Crop To Be Harvested

**While Smaller Than Record Tonnage Of 1946 Returns Will Be Greater In Value**

CALGARY.—Harvesting of the most valuable crop of sugar beets ever produced in Southern Alberta is in progress, says T. George Wood, general manager of Canadian Sugar Factories, Ltd., for whom all commercial sugar beets raised in Alberta are grown under contract.

It is estimated this year's crop of beets, to be harvested on 39,200 acres, will return in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000 to the 1,400 Southern Alberta farmers raising sugar beets on irrigated land. Last year's crop is expected to return growers approximately \$4,700,000 by the time the final payment is made this fall.

While smaller than the record tonnage of 1946, this year's crop is expected to have a greater value by virtue of the higher price anticipated. Despite extremely adverse harvesting conditions last fall and the loss of some beets which could not be recovered after being frozen in the ground and blanketed by ice and snow, the 1946 crop amounted to approximately 387,000 tons of beets delivered, setting an all-time record tonnage for the industry in Alberta. Another record was set by the extraction of some 109,000,000 pounds of sugar from the crop.

The size of the 1947 crop was boosted substantially by drenching rains after the middle of the month, Mr. Wood estimating that this moisture added an average of about 1½ tons an acre to overall yields.

He said the crop this year is better than average and he felt that it would run slightly higher than the average Southern Alberta crop yield of 12.5 tons an acre. It was not likely, he added, that the 1947 tonnage would exceed the total tonnage of beets harvested last year.

The approaching harvesting season will see mechanical beet harvesting machinery receive its first real try-out in Alberta. Besides about 300 mechanical beet loaders, about 15 beet harvesting combines—which turn dig and load beets—will be in operation.

General feeling of officials of the processing company and of the Beet Growers Association is that the price for 1946 beets will exceed \$12 a ton and that for 1947 beets will go over \$13.

Paid for their beets as sugar from the sold, growers now have received \$11.10 a ton for their 1946 beets and will draw at least one more payment.

### GREEKS WERE FIRST

The Greeks were the first people to use bedsprings, and made them of braided leather thongs hung between heavy boards at the side of the bed.



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### Sale Of Registered Aberdeen Angus Cattle

The estate of the late James Turner, Carroll, Manitoba, twenty miles south of Brandon, will, on Saturday, October 25, at 1:00 p.m. standard time, dispose the registered herd of pure bred Aberdeen Angus cattle comprising about fifty head. These cattle are all the descendants of the famous Karama 2nd of Glenacorn.



**NO AUSTERITY**—Dark days there may be in Britain, Ernie Bevin may be pleading for Fort Knox gold and the aristocracy may be putting blow-out patches on their toppers, but this little English lad is happy as a lark as he laps up his own brand of gold from the sunshine in an outing at Ashted.

## FUNNY And OTHERWISE

Mayor—I never saw the park littered so with paper as it is this morning. How do you account for it?

Superintendent—The Park Commissioner had leaflets distributed yesterday asking people not to throw paper about.

"What's the matter, Jenkins?" demanded the bootshop manager. "Can't you help the customer?"

"No, sir," replied the assistant. "He's trying to find two shoes that squeak in the same way."

Mistress (to cook at 5:45 p.m.): "I know it's the third time this week, Mary, but my husband just phoned from the golf club and he's bringing three men to dinner. How long will you need to get ready?"

Mary: "I'm ready now, I packed my trunk the last time it happened."

"Did you order your silverware by mail?" asked the first recent bride.

"Well," replied the other, "I sent out 65 wedding invitations to out-of-town relatives, if that's what you mean."

Little Agnes was so provoked that she had fallen out of bed that she could scarcely eat her breakfast.

"How did you happen to fall out, dear?" mother asked.

"I really don't know, mother," the little one replied, "unless it was because I slept too close to where I got in."

Two women were taking a stroll near Hollywood Boulevard when a man with a red flag rushed out and waved them away.

"Don't go there," he shouted. "A movie is being shot."

"Well," replied one of the women, "if it's the one I saw last night it deserves to be shot."

Two married men were discussing their joys and sorrows. "My wife," said one, "is very poetic. She gets up at sunrise and says 'Lo, the morn!'"

"Fuh!" said the other sadly. "Mine says 'Mow the lawn!'"

"Yes," said the explorer, "once I was so hungry that I dined off my pet parrot."

"What was it like?"

"Oh, very nice."

"Yes, but what did it taste like?"

"Oh, turkey, chicken, wild duck, that parrot could imitate anything."

A man weighing 300 pounds who entered a U.S. recruiting station said he hadn't come to enlist but just wanted to look round. The officials assured him that he did.

"Sorry to hear your engagement is broken off, old man."

"I'll get over it. But the worst blow was when she returned my long marked 'Glas—Handle With Care.'"

Judge—What possible excuse did you fellows have for acquitting that murderer?

Juryman—Inanity.

Judge—Really? The whole 12 of you?

"I see that tips are forbidden here, waiter."

"Bless you, sir, so were apples in the Garden of Eden."

## Tests Being Made To Forecast Crop

**If Successful Will Save Thousands Of Dollars To The Prairie Farmers**

SWIFT CURRENT, Sask.—Experiments in crop forecasting now under way at the Dominion experimental farm here may make much of the risk from one of agriculture's riskiest propositions—prairie wheat farming. If successful, experiments supervised by Dr. J. L. Doughty, chief of the farm's soil laboratory, will help farmer's discover if there is enough moisture in the soil at seeding time to give them a fighting chance of harvesting a crop and will save thousands of dollars worth of seed, literally wasted every year on land that is too dry to produce wheat in commercial quantities.

Soil experts here point out that an annual average rainfall in the brown-soil zone of Saskatchewan comprising the vast southwest corner of the province—is insufficient for even an utilizing soil moisture, the deficiency must be made up from moisture retained in the soil. But unless the land contains enough moisture—roughly the equivalent of three inches of rain—the farmer's chances of a crop are slim.

Dr. Doughty said that 10 years or more may be needed to complete tests being carried on here and at experimental substations. But records gathered during the last eight years have established that throughout the brown-soil belt, approximately 10½ inches of rain are needed annually for a crop yield averaging 14 bushels per acre.

But average rainfall in the area during the three-month growing season is a scant seven inches, and in three of five years falls below this meagre average.

Tests show, however, this shortcoming can be overcome by carefully utilizing soil moisture, by permitting land to lie fallow so rain and melting snow can seep into the earth to be stored until needed. But experts stress that long-term cultivation is only possible if land is fallowed often enough to let it hoard moisture.

Current boom wheat prices tempt many farmers to overwork their land instead of allowing it to replenish its moisture holdings. Others reseed crop in an effort to regain their losses. In both cases, experts say, they have little chance of success. By measuring the soil's moisture content after a harvest and in the spring, and by comparing the results for different types of land, soil researchers hope to accumulate enough data to permit accurate predictions of crop yields.

When the farmer has this knowledge, they say, he will be on the road to a solution of his biggest problem—drought.



**DOWN THE HEMLINE UP WITH TROUSERS**—Take a look, gents! This is what men's fashion designers are trying to do to your trousers. While women's dresses are being lowered below the knee, men's trousers are going up—four inches above the shoes, to be exact.

### Machine Washes Big Locomotives

NEW YORK.—A giant washing machine that will launder an electric locomotive in 15 minutes has been completed, the Pennsylvania Railroad announced.

The huge semi-automatic machine will be used to scrub, rinse and polish some 100 engines every 24 hours. It used to take workers two hours and 55 minutes to do one locomotive by hand.

The machine is some 300 feet long and towers about 15 feet above each side of the track.

The highest mountain in the world is Mount Everest in the Himalayas, 29,141 feet.

## GIRLS! WOMEN! TRY THIS IF YOU'RE NERVOUS

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## To Form World Food Council

GENEVA.—The United Nations Food and Agricultural Organization conference unanimously decided to establish a World Food Council. The new council will not be as powerful as the World Food Board proposed by Sir John Boyd Orr, director-general of FAO at the organization's last assembly at Copenhagen. It will be only an advisory body.



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## OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

## MUSIC SO SWEET

By MATTHEW F. CHRISTOPHER

HE noticed it now as they walked across the green grass that threw back the sunlight like tiny, jutting points of sapphire. And it hurt him to notice it—hurt him as if it were a physical wound.

"Bea, it's foolish!" he said. He said it low, but his voice seemed to possess a quality that carried it far beyond the green hill. And in the stillness he could still hear it. "Maybe, it is," she said. "I can feel it, too, when I'm home." She gave a slight lift of her slender shoulders. "It seems that the atmosphere just closes around me. Sometimes I've found myself breathless, as if I were tired."

He took her hand, and he felt her fingers intertwine with his, questing lightly, holding back the trembling emotion he now sensed himself. He realized solemnly how much a part of this feeling he shared, too, as if he belonged with it, and it with him. "Maybe if your father felt any different," he suggested. The idea awoke a faint memory, and he stared at her, watching, waiting for her reaction.

"Yes," she said thoughtfully. "Father could do plenty to help. But when he's not working, he sits by the window, as he's sitting now, gazing out at the trees and the birds and not seeing them. Yes, Father could help, all right." "Have you talked with him?" "Yes. But I might as well talk to the wall. He just stares at me, not listening."

"Have you played any music, since?" "No," she looked up at him, the sun painting a soft halo round her copper hair, putting a flashing, diamond light in the middle of her blue eyes. "Neither one of us have touched anything since Mother died."

She looked away. "Eight months. Yet it seems like yesterday when she used to sit at the piano, touching those ivory keys with her white, slender fingers."

They stopped for a moment both looking grimly into the distance. Then they left the sticky, tar-covered road and walked down the brick

incline to the empty, rust-colored cottage. They crossed the short-cut, the sunlight clipped lawn, and went on the bank beside the pool.

"I always come here," she said. "Sometimes to swim, but usually to get away. It's so peaceful, and the water is so beautiful."

"But it isn't permanent," he said, seriously. "It's just for a little while. Then you're back into it. Anyway, what about him?—What about your father? Does he come here?"

He copper hair melted over one shoulder as she shook her head slightly and looked away. "Never," she said. "He just stays home, and sits."

He thought a moment, and he wondered if this feeling could be real, like stone is real, or if it could be lifted, like a film, and the unchanged real shown beneath. It had to be one or the other, and he was afraid to learn which. Because no matter which it would be, he knew he'd remain a part of it.

"Let's go back," he said. "I'm going home, and you're going with me."

She looked at him. Her blue eyes shone sadly, the thin line a shadow between her eyebrows. "Earnie, I can't."

He took her hand, gently. "We'll come back," he said. "Don't worry." He felt her nearness against him in the car. She seemed so small, so helpless. He pressed the ball of his shoulder to him with his free hand, and rested his cheek against her hair, feeling of its softness as if it were a caressing whisper.

He realized then, that she was crying, and he didn't say anything.

He stopped the car in front of his home. "I'll be right back," he said. He went in, came out with a large, curved, black case, placed it on the rear seat, and started back to her house.

"Earnie," she said, "do you think

her voice faltered, as if the rest had fallen over a ledge. He lowered his hand from the wheel, gripped hers hopefully, reassuringly. "Don't ask me," he said. "And don't think, either. Don't think of anything, just me—if you think that'll help."

He felt the pressure returned, and smiled down at her. Her blue eyes shone like twin moons. Her curved lips answered his challenge. "I'll think of you," she murmured. "It always helps."

In front of her house again, they got out, and he took the big, black case out of the car. She led the way to the door, and held it open for him while he entered. He crossed slowly through the kitchen, stepped into the living room, and stopped. He smiled. It was hard to, but he did, and from his chair across the room, near the wide window where he always sat, Bea's father smiled back.

"I brought my guitar," Earnie said. The older man removed his pipe from his mouth, blew out smoke that formed a blue film before him. As if to hide the expression on his face, thought Earnie.

"You did?" he said. "It's been a long time." "Yes," Earnie said. "It has. You don't mind, do you?" The older man shook his head. "No. I don't mind. Go ahead."

"You won't walk off? thought Earnie. You won't go outside? You won't get away, just so you won't listen, will you?" "Bea—the piano, will you, please?" he said. She stared at him vaguely, and then at her father. He watched her, reading her like a book. And then she turned and sat on the long, black seat, and touched her rose-tipped fingers on the ivory keys.

"Strike C chord," he said. She struck the keys. A soft, resonant sound splashed out, like cool water and sprinkled around the quiet room. He struck the guitar strings. The smooth, whispering notes blended with the piano's.

He touched a string here and there and suddenly he was ready.

"Play something," he said, smiling. She started to play, and he leaped in with the chords, and music, for the first time in so long, drifted in sweet, lovely strains through the house, atomizing the air with its honeyed fragrance, air that had long been stagnant and dry.

Earnie heard a soft sound behind him, glanced over his shoulder and caught a glimpse of Bea's father's back as he strode slowly out of the room. A hint of sunnily formed inside him, and he turned back and looked at Bea.

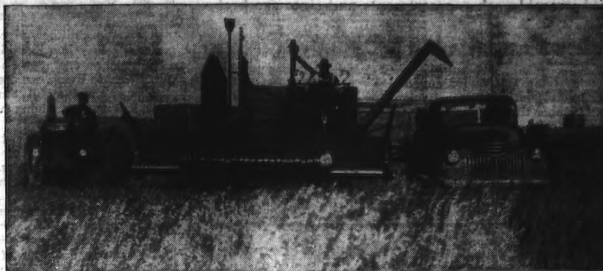
She didn't see his gaze. Her eyes, he mind, were absorbed in the music.

And then, from the other room came a high, thin, sustaining note. The silvery, mellifluous strains of a violin.

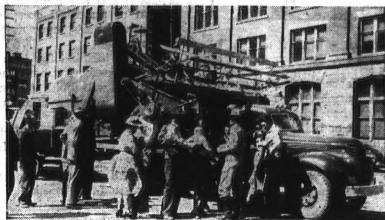
The two near the piano turned, and they watched him enter the room, his elbow held high, pulling the bow across the strings, while he watched it with his eyes, as if music was something you should see and he was seeing it—and smiling at it at the same time.

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Crows are considered the most intelligent of birds. 2744



MODERN HARVESTING IN MOTION PICTURES—The experiences of a Canadian combine crew harvesting grain in the U.S.A. are to be featured in a full length color motion picture. Star of the picture is Jack Sutherland, of Hanna, Alta. It was his combine crew, with two machines and eight helpers, that was accompanied by Director Roger Morin of the National Film Board all the way to Texas and back to the Sutherland farm at Hanna. The caravan with trucks, trailers, bunkhouses and combines left Hanna on May 26th and arrived back in Calgary September 3. In the meantime, they had covered 11,000 miles, cut wheat in Texas, Nebraska, Kansas, South Dakota and North Dakota. The picture shown above was taken during the harvest season last year and shows the Sutherland combine and crew in action after harvesting 710 acres.



The harvesters' families came into Calgary from Hanna to welcome the combine crews returning from the United States.

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By ANNE ADAMS

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## A SMALL WORLD

Proof of how small the world is was revealed in Richmond, Va., where an American war veteran rummaged through a stack of surplus trousers on sale and purchased a pair that he had turned in when charged.

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Malcolm McGregor, Polled Hereford Breeder, Brandon, Manitoba, will hold a sale of approximately fifty head of registered Hereford Cattle at Show Barn, Exhibition Grounds, Brandon, Man., on Monday, October 20th, 1947, at 1.00 p.m. Standard Time. Write for catalogue and further information.



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## RECIPES

## CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE

(1 egg)  
2 cups sifted cake flour  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
¼ teaspoon salt  
4 tablespoons butter or other shortening  
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1 egg, unbeaten  
¾ cup milk  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Cream shortening, add sugar gradually, and cream together well. Add egg and beat very thoroughly. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla. Bake in two greased 8-inch layer pans in moderate oven (375 deg. F.) 25 minutes. Spread Frosting between layers and on top of cake.

This cake may also be baked in greased pan, 8x8x2 inches, in moderate oven (350 deg. F.) 50 minutes.

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1 cup milk  
2 cups sugar  
Dash of salt  
2 tablespoons corn syrup  
2 tablespoons butter  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
Add chocolate to milk and place over low flame. Cook until mixture is smooth and blended, stirring constantly. Add sugar, salt, and corn syrup; stir until sugar is dissolved and mixture boils. Continue boiling, without stirring, until a small amount of mixture forms a very soft ball in cold water (232 deg. F.). Remove from fire. Add butter and vanilla. Cool to lukewarm (110 deg. F.). Beat until of right consistency to spread. If necessary, place over hot water to keep soft while spreading. Makes enough frosting to cover top and sides of 8x8x2-inch cake, tops and sides of two 8-inch layers, or tops of two 9-inch layers; or enough to cover tops of two 8x8-inch layers.

## Shooting Safety

Here are the 10 commandments for shooting safety:

1. Treat every gun with the respect due a loaded gun.
2. Carry only empty guns, taken down or with action open, into your automobile, camp or home.
3. Be sure the barrel and action are always clear of obstructions.
4. Always carry your gun so you can control the direction of the muzzle even if you stumble.
5. Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger.
6. Never point a gun at anything you do not wish to shoot.
7. Never leave a gun unattended unless you first unload it.
8. Never climb a tree or a fence or a ladder, or anything of the sort, with a loaded gun.
9. Never shoot at a flat surface or the surface of the water.
10. Do not mix gunpowder, alcohol and gasoline.

## WAR BRIDES WANT TO RETURN TO AUSTRALIA

SYDNEY, Australia. — Immigration Minister Arthur A. Calwell said, following his recent visit to the United States, that at least 80 per cent. of the 10,000 Australian war brides in the United States wanted to return to their homeland with their husbands and families.

Highways and bridges developed by King Louis XIV and Napoleon are still in service in France.

## May Raise U.S. Tourists' Quota Of Goods

Bill May Permit Americans To Take Back Up To \$500 Worth

NEW YORK. — A bill to permit United States tourists to bring home up to \$500 worth of Canadian goods will be introduced at the next session of Congress as a means of helping Canada balance her increasing trade deficit with the United States. The Herald Tribune said recently. Americans now may take \$100 worth of duty-free goods across the international boundary.

The Herald Tribune said American trade circles believe "prospects are good" for passage of a bill when Congress meets again, probably early in 1948.

To Feel Right — Eat Right

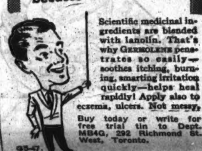
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Like fleece but a knit garment. It is warmer, fits better, wears better, has less bulk and does not mat or ball up in the wash. A limited amount. If you want any of these "get crackin'" Sizes 38 to 46. Priced at **3.25**

### Silver Grey Blankets

Made by Ayres. This is a pure virgin wool blanket. Size 64x84. A few pair only of this good quality bedding at the old price. **14.50**



### Comforters

A few only. Nicely patterned bed comforters. Good weight. Priced at **5.19**

### FACTORY COTTON

Thirty-six inch factory cotton. Medium weight. You will find many uses for this cloth. Priced at **25c**



### Silk Spun Dress Material

Pretty patterns in a darker tone for women's dresses. Neat designs on yellow, blue or maroon ground. Make these up for yourself or the kiddies. 48 inches wide. Per yard **1.59**

### White Flannelette

For mothers of young children and prospective mothers

27 inch white flannelette. A nice even fine quality. Per yard **30c**

37 inch white flannelette. This is an exceptional grade of fine white napped flannelette on a good even back weave. Per yard **49c**

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### Fleece Bloomers



For the cold days ahead. Better grade fleece bloomers. White, well fleeced, elastic waist and knee. In sizes medium and large. Priced at **1.00**

### Bath Mats

Heavy terry bath mats in yellow, green and black and white. Size 22x33. Priced at **1.95**

### Women's Lisle Hose

High grade English silk lisle hose of exceptional quality. Full fashioned. Size 9½-10½ only. Per pair **98c**

### Boys' Collegiate Parkas

For teen age boys. Heavy gabardine shell in navy, or brown. Thermo pack lined. Warm insulation of padded wool interlining. Kasha cloth lined. Four good pockets. Deep wolf trim hood. Full zipper front. A special at **12.50**

### Boys' Spun Shirts



Warm, stylish, winter shirts. Made from rayon spun, bright tartan patterns. Kennedy cut. These are well made shirts. Sizes 12-14½. Priced at **2.19**

### Boys' Lined School Jackets

A special in sizes 10 to 18 only. Cotton worsted shell in grey or blue. Warm doeskin lining. Full zipper front. A special at **3.95**

### Boys' Wool Sweaters

A nice quality worsted sweater in heather shade. Cardigan knit, club collar, band bottom. Zipper front. A good, neat, warm school garment. Sizes 26 to 34. Priced at **2.49**

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## LOCALS

Jimmie Gultner expects to enter Hardisty hospital this week to undergo an operation on his foot.

We are living, we are living in a grand and awful time, and a dollar we are giving where we used to give a dime.

We received a postcard this week from Mrs. McKean of Stockton-on-Tees, England. Mrs. McKean was holidaying at the ancient city of York.

Mr. Wm. Masson went to Edmonton last week to attend the funeral of his niece, Miss Helen Mark, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Len Mark of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Reeds entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stimpson of Toileff.

A pet show sponsored by the Irma Trail Rangers will be held in the Weisser Building, Saturday, Oct. 11th from 3 to 9 p.m. Come and see the greatest collection of purebred dogs, cats, pigeons, rabbits, ever assembled in Irma.

Keep in mind the 16th and 17th of November, when the United Church will hold its usual anniversary services and anniversary supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fletcher and Jackie were visitors to Irma over last week end.

Miss Iris Hurst was a visitor to Edmonton this week.

Mr. C. L. Holt is a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton. We understand that he is progressing very favorably.

Bob Simmerman Jr. of Edmonton paid a brief visit to his home here last Monday.

We are glad to report that Mrs. A. L. Johnson is home again and well on the road to recovery.

Our big potato contest still continues. Latest developments since last week are as follows. Mr. I. S. Reeds produced a very smooth streamlined Netted Gem weighing an even 3 lbs. and held top honors for almost a week until Mrs. Earl Prior walked in with an enormous Pink Potato weighing 4 lbs. 6 oz. Is this the Ace of Spades or are there larger ones still to come? Mrs. Hearn is not competing for size but she brought in a potato that was uncanny in its resemblance to a plump white pig complete with a turned up snout and curly tail.

Mr. T. E. Brennan of Edmonton, has purchased the garage formerly operated by Mr. Ben Sather. See his announcement in this issue. John Lychak is holding an auction sale on October 16th.

"Things some times get so big that human values are lost." —Dean H. H. Clark.

"The United States should in its reconstruction assistance give priority to those countries which fought for democracy." —Prof. Etienne Gilson.

"We hated to leave England but it is nice to be home again." —Miss Ruth Robertson.

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#### FOR HOMES

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#### LOST

\$5.00 Reward for the recovery, or information leading to the recovery of a 12½ "postcard" size film camera, (Eastman Kodak) black leather case and red bellows. Arthur Knudson, Irma. 3c

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<b>Girls' Sweaters</b> Coat style. <b>3.50 3.25</b>	<b>Boys' Sweaters</b> Zipper front. At <b>3.95</b>
<b>Misses' Felt Boots</b> Pair <b>2.65</b>	<b>Boys' Cotton Combs.</b> Long legs. At <b>1.69</b>
<b>Ladies' Snuggles</b> Garment <b>69c</b>	<b>Boys' Wool Socks</b> Pair <b>45c</b>
<b>Ladies' Berets</b> Each <b>79c</b>	<b>Boys' Felt Boots</b> Pair <b>2.98</b>
<b>Head Scarves</b> Each <b>1.50</b>	<b>Boys' Sweaters</b> Pullovers, V-neck. Special at <b>2.95</b>
<b>Chenille Spreads</b> Two only. To clear at <b>13.50</b>	<b>Boys' Leather Helmets</b> Each <b>1.29</b>
<b>Car Rugs</b> Each <b>4.50</b>	<b>Men's Bib Overalls</b> Pair <b>3.45</b>
<b>Boys' Overcoats</b> Regularly priced at \$17.95. To clear <b>14.95</b>	<b>Rider Pants</b> Pair <b>2.98</b>
<b>Boys' Parkas</b> Navy blue. An exceptional value at <b>9.50</b>	<b>Winter Underwear</b> Heavy wool rib. <b>4.95</b>
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